

## Message Text

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EO 11652: NA  
TAGS: TSPA UR US  
SUBJECT: SOYUZ-24; HOW LONG IN SPACE

1. IN DISCUSSION AT INTERKOSMOS FEBRUARY 11 VERESHCHETIN AND KOZYREV  
TOLD SCICOUNS THAT PRIORITY MISSION OF SOYUZ-24 IS THE STUDY OF  
LONG-TERM EFFECTS OF SPACE FLIGHT ON HUMAN BODY. THEY HEDGED ON  
HOW LONG THE SOYUZ-24 CREW PLANS TO REMAIN IN SPACE NOTING THAT  
THIS WOULD DEPEND ON THE HEALTH AND MENTAL CONDITION OF THE  
COSMONAUTS. WHEN PRESSED FURTHER THEY STATED THE SOVIETS WOULD BE  
HAPPY WITH A TWO-MONTH FLIGHT, ADDING THAT THEY WERE NOT OUT  
TO BEAT THE U.S. RECORD ON THIS FLIGHT.

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## Message Attributes

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